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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

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In the application of:

Richard C. ALLEN et al.

Serial No.: 09/002,413

Filing Date: January 2, 1998

For: USE OF PIGMENTED RETINAL
EPITHELIAL CELLS FOR CREATION
OF AN IMMUNE PRIVILEGE SITE

Examiner: M. Wilson

Group Art Unit: 1633

PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME
37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a)

Assistant Commissioner for Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

Dear Sir:

Applicant petitions the Assistant Commissioner for Patents under 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a), to extend the time for response to the Office action dated May 10, 2000. This extension will extend the time the response is due from August 10, 2000 to November 10, 2000, which fell on a federal holiday. Therefore, this response is timely filed.

☒ A three month extension is requested; the extension fee is \$445.00.

☒ A check in the amount of \$589.00 is attached.

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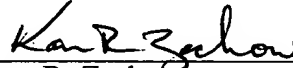
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The Assistant Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees under 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.16 and 1.17 that may be required by this petition, or to credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 03-1952 referencing docket no. 311772000500.

Respectfully submitted,

Dated: November 13, 2000

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